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P.B.No.116, Bunder, Mangalore, South Kanara.

The tenure of the non-official members will be for a period of three years.

2. The functions of the Board will be:--

(i) to advise Government as to the steps necessary for the development of Coir Industry on sound and up-to-day lines;

(ii) to advise Government on the measures necessary for the proper grading of fibre, yarn, ropes, mattings etc.as regards their colour, twist and score and to lay down suitable specifications for the various items of manufacture with a view to maintaining the standard of quality; and

(iii) to explore the possibilities of developing the export trade and suggest, if necessary measures for the pooling of arrangements in regard to the submission of samples for export.

3. The Board will meet not less than once in three months, at a suitable place, ordinarily in Malabar District. The rates of Travelling Allowance and Daily Allowance of the non-official members of the Board will be regulated with reference to the orders in G.O.Ms.520,Finance,dated 10-7-48 and G.O.Ms.33,Finance dated 12-1-1948. The Committee will be a First Class Committee.

4. The Director of Industries and Commerce will be the controlling officer for purposes of countersigning the Travelling Allowance Bills of the Non-official members of the Board.

5. The charges on account of travelling allowance to the non-official members of the Board will be debited to a new sub-head of appropriation "Coir Advisory Board" under "43.a.Industries - R.Post War Reconstruction". The Travelling Allowance of official members will be debuted to the head of account to which their pay is debited.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

K.G.Menon,
Secy. to Government.

To
The Director of Industries and Commerce,
All Collectors.
The Accountant General through Finance
The Finance Department.
The Director of Agriculture.
The Members of the Board through Director of Industries and Commerce.
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